igth October INGROSSERS AND BUILDERS PUNISHED

To-day in the Star Chamber, one Francis Parker that hath been an ingrosser these sixteen years and every year earned corn to London in a boat without a licence is fined ^500 to the Queen, imprisonment, *£20* to the poor, to go to Westminster Hall with papers and to confess his fault Others are fined ^40 with imprisonment

At the same time one Negoose and others for building cottages in London contrary to the proclamation are fined, one £100, one £40 and another *£20* , the houses to be destroyed for their base condition and the timber sold for the poor. If any be brothel houses, to burn them standing if it can be done \vithout peril, otherwise to burn them in the fields [3] and those that are beautiful and spacious edifices to be converted into garners and storehouses

DELONEY*S * GENTLE CRAFT *

Deloney hath written a book in praise of shoemakers called *The Gentle Craft,* showing what famous men have been shoe-makers in time past in this land, with their worthy deeds and great hospitality Relateth the pleasant history of St Hugh (from whom cometh it that the shoemakers[5] tools are called St Hugh's bones) , the tale of Crispin and Crispianus , and lastly how Sir Simon Eyre, being first a shoemaker, became in the end Lord Mayor of London through the counsel of his wife, and how he builded Leaden hall

20th October. * RICHARD THE THIRD *

There is to be printed that play acted by the Lord Chamber-lain's men called *The Tragedy of King Richard the Third,* being written by Shakespeare, wherein Burbage played the ^fag with great applause

22-nd October THE LORD ADMIRAL TO BE

ADVANCED.

It is said in Court that to-morrow the Lord Admiral shall be created Earl of Nottingham The heralds have been with him, he hath borrowed my Lord of Pembroke's robes ; his coronet is made and his patent is a drawing.

zyd October. THE LORD ADMIRAL ADVANCED*

As the Queen came from the Chapel this day, being Sunday, she created the Lord Admiral Earl of Nottingham The Earl